

PROPOSAL

For a Fund for the Use of the Government.

THAT one Shilling in the Pound be Paid out of all Legacy's, given in Money by Will, to any Person or Persons in *Great Britain*, to be paid by the Heir, Executor or Administrator in a limited time after the Administration granted, notwithstanding the Minority of any the Legatees.

II. That a Duty of Six-pence in the Pound be paid, upon the Selling and Transferring any *Bank, East-India, Africa, Sword-Blades, Stock or Shares, and Bonds, and in the South-Sea, and Hudson's-Bay-Companies*; and in the perpetual Insurance upon Lives, and all Lotteries and Mault Tickets, and all Annuities, payable by the Government; to be paid when Sold and Transferred, as Buyer and Seller can agree. That Care be taken to prevent the Selling Stocks, &c. to several Persons without any Money, or ever Transferring them.

III. That one Shilling be paid for every Original Copy, of all Pamphlets, News-Papers and News Letters, and Six-pence a Sheet for the Original Copy of all Pamphlets, and Books of all sorts, that shall be Printed and Re-printed, (except Bibles and Common-Prayer Books) and Six-pence for every Advetisement; this will not raise the price of any Books or Pamphlets.

That one Pound be paid for every hundred Pounds lent upon Mortgage, and one Pound be paid for every hundred Pound paid for the purchase of any real Estates and Leases, to be paid in a limited time, after the Deeds are Executed, at the Registry-Office for the County, if there be any, or otherwise at the Stamp-Office, or else not to be good, and Valued in Law.

V. That all Persons that shall be Naturalized for the future, shall pay each person the Sum of pounds to the Government.

VI. That a Duty be laid upon all common Bricks, of one Shilling a Thousand, Stocks-Bricks two Shillings a Thousand, Flat Tiles one Shilling, Pan Tiles two Shillings, Glaz'd Tiles
Paveing Tiles White Tiles
Painted Tiles

VII. That one penny a Foot, in length and breadth be paid Yearly, for all Vaults that are, or shall be made under any Street, Lane, or common Passage, that are not directly under the Houses, they being dangerous to Horses, Carriages and Passengers.

VIII. That one Shilling in the Pound be paid for all Fines, for calling all Persons upon the Livery, many the Companys and Corporations, and all Fines for Sheriffs, and Parish-Offices throughout *Great Britain*, great part of these Fines being spent in extraordinary Eating and Drinking, and a small part may be spared.

IX. That all Carts, Carrs, and Carriages, that carry any Goods, or Laidings, to and from any Wharfs and Docks, within the City of *London* and Bills of Mortality, and all Carrs and Carts that stand and ply in any of the Streets, may pay Yearly each Carr and Cart to the Government, the Sum of and be numbred, and Licens'd, (except Carroons and Carts, that pay one hundred pounds for a Figure, or License, and something Yearly to Christ's-Hospital; and Ten pounds every seven Years, for a Fine to the Proprietors of the Figure.

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for a fine to the proprietors of the theatre, and for some time yearly to Queen's Hospital; and two pounds every year to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul, and one hundred pounds for a library, and licensed, except Gamesters and Carters, who pay one hundred pounds for a licence to cart to the Government, the sum of £1000 and Carters that find and sell in any of the streets, every year yearly each Cart and horse, within the City of London and bills of Mortality, and all that all Carters, Carters and Cartresses, that carry on Goods, or Builders, to an

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